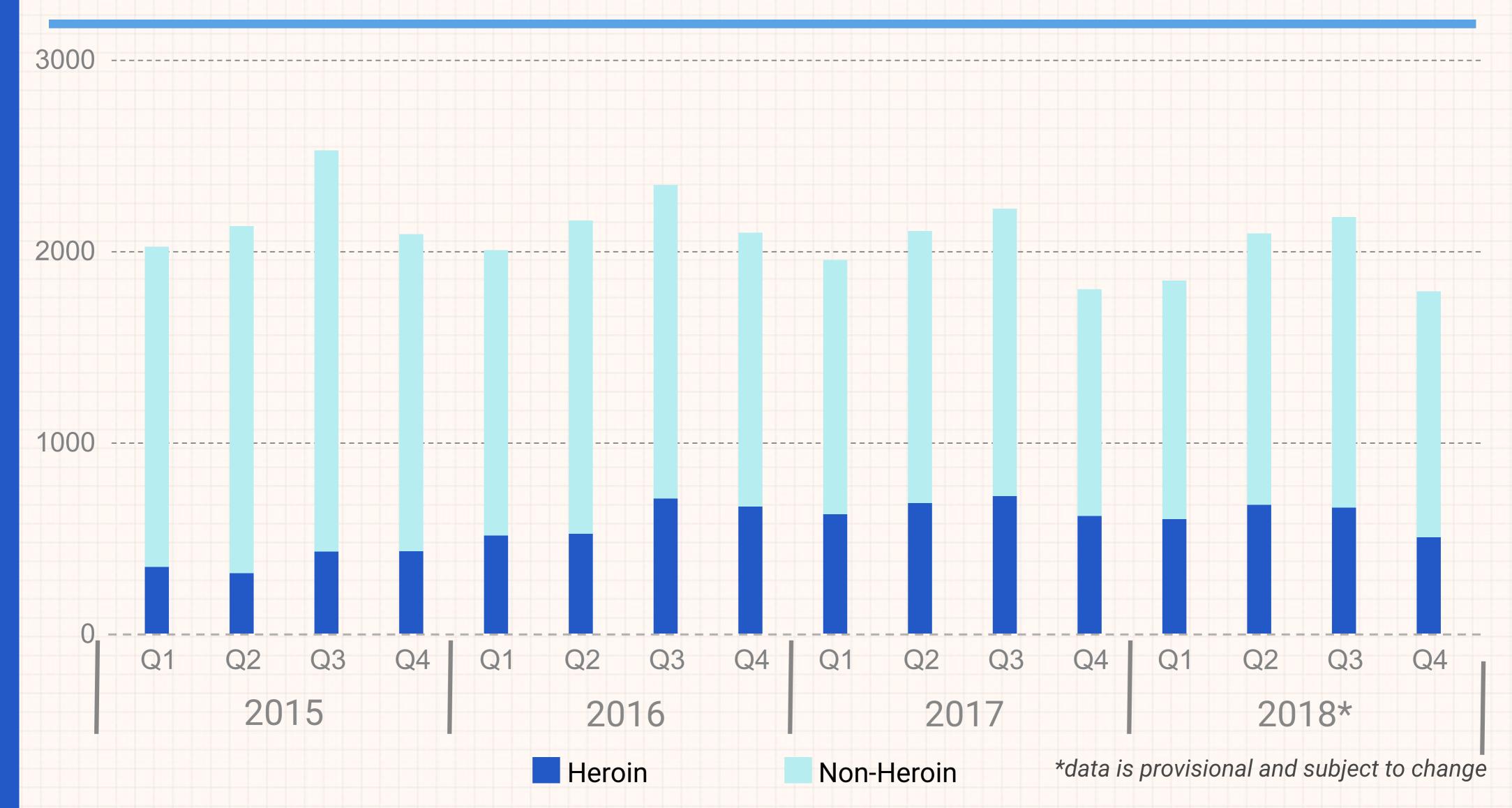


OPIOID ED DISCHARGES QUARTERLY 2015 - 2018



Source: Bureau of Health Care Analysis and Data Dissemination, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

Heroin misuse has increasingly become more frequent among opioid-involved discharge diagnoses. However, roughly 75% of opioid-involved discharges are still due to non-heroin opioids. Most recently, an increase in a specific non-heroin opioid, fentanyl, is driving those percentages even higher.